

<b>AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Large Entity)</b>				<b>Docket No.</b>	
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Invention:

**OPERATING OF A SWITCHING NODE IN A COMMUNICATIONS NETWORK COMPRISING BOTH A LAYERED AND A NON-LAYERED ARCHITECTURAL ENVIRONMENT**

**COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:**

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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INDEP. CLAIMS	2 -	5 =	0 x	\$200.00	\$0.00

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